FISCAL NOTE

SB 3227 - HB 3595

February 24, 2006

SUMMARY OF BILL: Moves Knox County from its current designation as a county of the second class to a county of a first class for all purposes except for determination of compensation for county officers.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumptions:

- An increase, from 10 to 12, in the number of individuals from each clerk's office who would be allowed to attend the Tennessee State Court Clerk's Conference.
- Exempts Knox county from county legislative body meeting law requirements if the county has adopted regular meetings through private act.
- Removes the authority of the mayor to convene the legislative body in special session.
- Changes the mayor's veto power from a statutory provision to whatever comparable power may be vested in the mayor's position through special or private acts.
- Any increase in expenditures to Knox County associated with this bill are estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director